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Dear Justice Department,

A fine is insufficient for a company with \$20 billion in the bank and a monopoly to recoup any losses. Ultimately, operating systems should not be in private hands. They should be open, like other critical resources such as the ocean or the highway system. Demand that Microsoft make its source code public. Or accept Judge Jackson's plan to break the company in two. Regardless of his poor judgement, he had the right idea.

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